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In re Appln. of: Francis X. Shields et al.

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 23, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 23, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.